# Sunday Worship Aug. 16, 2020 Drive-in at 9 am

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Last Sunday, Aug. 9, 2020:

DRIVE-IN WORSHIP ATTENDANCE People – 133, Cars – 79

VALLEY OUTREACH DONATIONS Food – 199 pounds, Cash – \$100 Total of \$299 (1 pound food =\$1) towards the \$1,000 Outreach Missions challenge!

## We continue to be the church in all circumstances.

We are so glad you joined us for worship! Our shared ministry continues.

Please bring your own bread/crackers and juice for communion.

# **UPDATED!** SAFE WORSHIP RESTRICTIONS

- If you are sick or have been exposed to someone with Covid-19, stay home.
- 2. Face masks are required.
- 3. Park 8-feet apart within the markings and according to the usher's instructions.
- 4. If you wish to get out of your vehicle, please use your own lawn chairs and put them directly in front of your vehicle.
- Maintain physical distance from those not in your household.
   Refrain from gathering in groups.
- We will not be serving coffee and treats, but feel free to bring your own! Do not share food or drink between cars.

#### **PARTICIPANTS**

Musicians – Zanny Johnson, vocal; Kirby Smith, keyboard Worship Director – Phil Kadidlo

**PASTORS** 

The Rev. Dr. Chris Bellefeuille The Rev. Peter Weston Miller



Gathering Music Give Me Jesus - arr. Ortega

Welcome

**Opening Song** 10,000 Reasons (Bless the Lord) – Redman, Myrin

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Bless the Lord, O my soul...O my soul Worship God's holy name Sing like never before, O my soul I'll worship your holy name

The sun comes up, it's a new day dawning
It's time to sing your song again
Whatever may pass, and whatever lies before me...
Let me be singing when the evening comes (refrain)

You're rich in love, and you're slow to anger Your name is great, and your heart is kind For all your goodness I will keep on singing... Ten thousand reasons for my heart to find... (refrain)

And on that day when my strength is failing
The end draws near and my time has come
Still, my soul will sing your praise unending...
Ten thousand years, and then forevermore... (refrain)

### **Gathering Litany**

LEADER: We gather in the name of our great God—wondrous Creator, loving Savior and abiding Spirit.

ALL: Amen.

Through Jesus we see God's own heart of love for all of creation. Through the gospel stories of Jesus we learn of God's compassion for the sick and the hurting.

Fill us today with this same love and compassion, O God.

We can be limited in our ability to extend love to all people equally. God helps us move beyond our biases and limits by helping us see God's own face in the faces of each and every person.

God of change, open our eyes and hearts to see just how wide and welcoming your kingdom is. Surprise us with your voice speaking through others, calling out for justice and mercy to all who plead for it. Inspire us to proclaim your Good News to the world once again. Amen.

**Song** My Soul Proclaims Your Greatness – Trad.

My soul proclaims your greatness, Lord;

I sing my Savior's praise!

You looked upon my lowliness, and I am full of grace.

Now ev'ry land and ev'ry age this blessing shall proclaim—great wonders you have done for me, and holy is your name.

To all who live in holy fear your mercy ever flows.

With mighty arm you dash the proud, their scheming hearts expose.

The ruthless you have cast aside, the lowly throned instead;

the hungry filled with all good things, the rich sent off unfed.

To Israel, your servant blest, your help is ever sure; the promise to our parents made their children will secure. Sing glory to the Holy One, give honor to the Word, and praise the Pow'r of the Most High, one God, by all adored.

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Food Shelf Donations Needed! Valley

Outreach (VO) is currently serving hundreds of families a week through a drive-up food distribution model during the COVID-19 pandemic. All in need of food are welcome. VO is now accepting shelf-stable, non-perishable food items! We are collecting items at drive-in worship and cash donations to deliver to VO following their dropoff guidelines. You can also make monetary gifts. Write your check to Trinity Lutheran Church and write Valley Outreach in the memo line.

Trinity's Outreach Mission Ministry Team has allocated \$1,000 to go to Valley Outreach and is challenging our faith community to match it with donations and financial gifts (\$1 per pound). Please see the next page for most-needed items. Diapers of all sizes and tampons are especially needed. Please no perishable, refrigerated or frozen items. (No items will be accepted at church at this time. You may send a check to Trinity.) More information about VO at https:// valleyoutreachmn.org/.

Note that VO now has contactless drive-through donation times on Mondays and Wednesdays from Noon to 3 p.m. You will be directed where to go when you arrive. Clothing items most needed are men's and children's seasonal clothing. VO is accepting two bags at a time.

**Retired Men's Group Weekly Meeting & Study** Wednesdays at 10:30 am on Zoom

Now discussing *Inspired* by Rachel Held Evans. For meeting information contact Jon Fogelberg at jon@123m.com.

**Sign up online!** We are excited to offer online signups for Sunday morning volunteers at drive-in worship. Three volunteers are needed—a greeter and two ushers. In the interest of safety when directing cars, volunteers must be at least 18 years of age to volunteer at the drive-in. Receive helpful reminders! https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e044eadab28a1ff2-worship1

**Ending the fiscal year strong.** If you are current on your pledge or giving plan, thank you! If you have some catching up to do, we encourage you to do so now. Our fiscal year ends Aug. 31 and having everyone current on pledges and giving plans will help us end strong. https://trinitylc.org/giving/

**Reading** Matthew 15: 21-28

Message

- The Rev. Peter Weston Miller

**Song of Reflection** He's Always Been Faithful – Groves, arr. Handley, Haschek

**Prayers** 

Communion – The Great Thanksgiving

God is with us.

Yesterday, today and forever.

Let us lift up our hearts.

We lift them up to God.

Let us give thanks for the abiding love of God.

It is wonderful to give our thanks and praise to God.

Lord's Prayer (1975)

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.

Sending



### **Confirmation Day! For Last Year's 9th Graders** Sunday, Aug. 23 at 9:00 am at the Drive-in

To make up for the cancellation of an in-person Confirmation Day in May, last year's 9th grade Confirmation class will be recognized during worship at the drive-in on Sunday, Aug. 23. Families will be invited up front for the laying on of hands spread out in order of small groups, and we will pray for God's continued leading for our young people. Certificates and letters handed out at the conclusion of the service. While not the ideal confirmation, we hope it will serve as an invitation into safe and faithful living for an uncertain Fall.

#### **ONE & DONE BOOK GROUP**

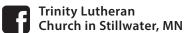
The Cross and the Lynching Tree by James H. Cone Monday, Aug. 31 at 6:30 pm | Meeting on Zoom The One and Done Book Group has been discussing the important issues of poverty and racism. The next discussion will be about The Cross and the Lynching Tree by James H. Cone. It's a powerful lesson by a renown theologian and all are welcome. Contact Ann Wolff at wolff701@msn.com for the zoom link.



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- 1. Ready-to-Eat Soups
- 2. Cooking Soups
- 3. 100% Fruit Juices
- **4. Condiments** (e.g., ketchup, mustard, salad dressing)
- 5. Pasta
- **6. Meal Sides** (e.g., mac and cheese, scalloped potatoes)
- 7. Canned Fruits
- 8. Canned Tomato Products
- **9. Canned Protein** (e.g., tuna, black beans, chicken, baked beans)
- 10. Cereals

- 11. Canned Vegetables
- 12. Pantry Items (e.g., oil, flour, sugar)
- 13. Spices (e.g., cumin, cinnamon, salt)
- 14. Gluten-Free Flours
- 15. Gluten-Free Snacks
- 16. Personal Care Items (e.g., shampoo, toothpaste, soap)
- 17. Household Paper Items (e.g., toilet paper, paper towel)
- 18. Baby Supplies (e.g., diapers, wipes, baby food)
- 19. Feminine Hygiene Products
- 20. Pet Food

